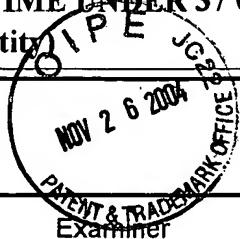


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
 (Large Entity)

Docket No.
ENDOV-55674

In Re Application Of: Juan I. Perez, et al.



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Invention: **STAGED ENDOVASCULAR GRAFT DELIVERY SYSTEM**
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 6/15/2004 in the above-identified application.

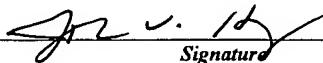
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months
 from: 10/13/2004 until: 12/13/2004
 Date Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$430 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-2425
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 06-2425
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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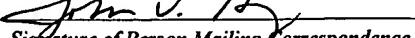

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